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RE: **USSN 10/801,818**  
**Surface Modification of Castings**

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Please find attached the following:

1. Transmittal Form;
2. Response to Office Action of August 11, 2005.

Sincerely,



Hans Koenig

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**AMENDMENT/RESPONSE**

Sir:

In response to the Office action of August 11, 2005, please consider the following amendment/response. Please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.